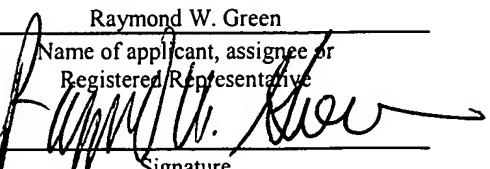


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Case No. 659/928

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Paul T. Van Gompel et al.

Serial No: 10/005,522

Confirmation NO. 2410

K-C Docket 9733.5

Filed: December 3, 2001

Examiners: Dennis Ruhl
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to an Office Action dated July 29, 2003 for a period of one (1) month.

Applicant:

claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

is other than small entity

	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

Fee Payment

- Attached is a check for \$290.00 for the fees for filing a Petition (\$110.00) and an Information Disclosure Statement (\$180.00).
- Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$_____ for the Petition fee.
- Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



Raymond W. Green
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 Attorney for Applicant

Dated: November 26, 2003

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